

No. 7008	日壹十月四年辰月	·維光 HONG	KONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 19	·R, 1880.	%九十月五英 游派	PRICE \$2½ PER MONTH.
SHIPPING:	BANKS.	NOTICES OF FIRMS.	AUCTIONS.	INTIMATIONS.	INTIMATIONS.	INTIMATIONS.
ARRIVALS.	COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.	NOTICE.	PUBLIC AUCTION	TANE, CRAWFORD & CO.	IN THE MATTER OF THE TRUST DEED FOR	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
May 17, Ситната Мави, Japan. bark, 441, Н. Kawaoka, Nagasaki 2nd May, Coal. —Мітви Виззан Каізна.	Incorporated 7th and 18th March, 1848.  Recognised by the International Convention of	WE have This Day entered into PART- NERSHIP as SHARE and GENE-	to Sell by Public Austron, on	EX "PEIHO," "GLENAUTNEY," &c., &c. :— CHRISTY'S DRAB and BLACK FELT and	THE BENEFIT OF THE CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM McGREGOR SMITH.	FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.
May 18, Truces, British str., 1,824, Power, London 28th March, and Singapore	30th-April, 1802.	RAL BROKERS, under the Style of "COHEN and Grore."  CHAS. C. COHEN.	Frank	STRAW HATS.  CALCUTTA PITH HATS and HELMETS.	OTICE is hereby given that a MEETING	"DIOMED," Captain M. H. F. Jackson, will be desputched.
11th May, General.—Burrerered & Swire. May 18, Diomed, Brit. str., 1,240, Jackson,	RESERVE FUND £800,000.  HEAD OFFICE—14, Rue Bergere, PARIS.	Hongkong, 17th May, 1880 [1m840]	English-made Walout Cretonne-covered Drawing-room SUITE. CHEFFONIER with Glass, Marble-top	FRENCH CALF, KID, and PATENT LEATHER SHOES.	will be held pursuant to the 167th Section of the Ordinance No. 5 of 1864, before the Official	TO-DAY, the 19th instant, at 5 P.M. For Freight or Passage, upply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Swatow 17th May, General.—BUTTER- FIELD & SWIBE.		INTEND to continue Business as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR and COMMISSION	GRAPHS, ENGRAVINGS, and HEARTH.	LAWN TENNIS SETS. PONY HARNESS, BRIDLES, &c.	Assignee in Bankruptcy, at the Court House of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on FRI-DAY, the 11th day of June, 1880, at 11 of the	Hongkong, 19th May, 1880. [603]
CLEARANCIES  AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE,	MARSEILLEB, BOMBAY, HONGRONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW,	AGENT in Foochow, under the Name of "John Gitting & Co."	Extension DINING TABLE, DINNER, DES- SERT, and BREAKFAST SETS. GLASS and PLATED WARE. WHATNOTS, Dining.	FRENCH COFFEE MACHINES for 3, 4, 5,	Clock in the Formoon, when the Trustee will receive Proofs of Debt and submit a Statement of the whole Estate collected by him, and of the	FOR SHANGHAI, VIA AMOY.
MAY 18TH.  Usmeralda, British steamer, for Amoy.  Hainan, American steamer, for Hollow.	NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOOCHOW.  LONDON BANKERS:	JOHN GITTINS. Foothow, 1st January, 1880. [533] NOTICE.	room CHAIRS, GASALIERS & BRACKETS.  English-made Welnut Marble-top SIDE-BOARD with GLASS.	and Quarts.	Property outstanding, specifying the cause of its being so outstanding, and of all the Receipts and of all the Payments thereout made, and any	for Chefoo, Newchwang, Tightsin, Hankow, and Ports on the Yangtsze.
Kwangtung, British steamer, for East Coast. Strathearn, British bark, for Vancouver's	THE BANK OF ENGLAND.  THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.	MAR. C. STIEBEL has To-day been ad-	Double and Single BEDSTEADS. Englishmade Mahogany WARDROBE WARDROBE	JOCKEY CLUB, &c., &c.	Creditor may attend and examine such Statement and compare the Receipts with the Pay-	"TEUCER,"
Island.  Killarney, British steamer, for Foochow.  Hankow, British steamer, for Hankow.	on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the world.	Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama. REISS & Co.	With PLATE GLASS DOORS, BURGAU with GLASS, Marble-top TOILET TABLE and WASHETAND	LIGHT SUMMER SCARVES and NECK- TIES. CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS, COLLARS, &c. AMERICAN ICE PITCHERS.		Captain R. T. Power, will be despatched TO- MORROW, the 20th instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to
Rajanattianuhar, British etr., for Bangkok.  DEPARTURES.	and transacts every description of Banking Ex- change Business: E. G. VOUILLEMONT,	TO BE LET.	. A SEMI-GRAND PIANO. &c., &c., &c., Catalogues will be issued.	ICE PAILS and TONGS.	In the meantime Proofs of Debt will be re-	Hongkong, 19th May, 1980. [8]9  FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOTHOW.
May 18, ESMERALDA, British str., for Amoy. May 18, HAINAN, American str., for Hollow.	20th May, 1879. Manager, Shanghai.	SUMMER RESIDENCE, KOLANGSU,	TERMS OF SALE.—As oustomary.  J. M. ARMSTRONG,  Auctioneer.	SAUCE FRAMES.  ELECTRO-PLATED TEA and COFFEE SER-	Dated this 29th day of April, 1880.  BRERETON AND WOTTON,	HE Steamship
May 18, Sumatra, American-ship, for San- Francisco.	ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.  (Incorporated by Royal Charter).	AMOY.  FUND LET, PARTLY FURNISHED, from 1st.	Hongkong, 19th May, 1880. [849] PUBLIC AUCTION.	ELECTRO-PLATED BISCUIT BOXES. ELECTRO-PLATED FRUIT KNIVES and	Solicitors for the Trustee, 3w733]: 29, Queen's Road, Hongkong. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF KWOK	"KWANGTUNG," Captain Abbott, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 20th-inst., at
PASSENGERS.  ARRIVED:  Per Diemed, str., from Swatow.—415 Chinese.		Intely occupied by the Rev. W. McGregor and his family. For Particulars as to Accommoda-	ITTO BE SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION.	FORKS, in Cases.  ELECTRO-PLATED SPOONS and FORKS.  RODGER'S BONE and IVORY TABLE	ACHEONG, LATE OF HONGRONG, MERCHANT,	Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.  For Freight or Passage, apply to  DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
Per Teucer, str., from London. &5.—2 cabin, and 198 Uhinese.  DEPARTED.	RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED	tion, Furniture, and Rent, apply to the Rev. W. S. Swanson, Amoy; or, here to J. G. SMITH & Co.	TUESDAY, the 25th day of May, 1880, at Noon, at "THE VICTORIA FOUNDRY"	CUTLERY. WATERLOW & DE LA RUE'S STATIONERY. PLAYING CARDS and WHIST	NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of	Hongkong, 19th May, 1880. [842] FOR SHANGHAI.
Per Hainan, str., for Hollow.—20 Chinese.  TO DEPART.	At 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum. At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum.	5, Duddell Street, Hongkong, 18th May, 1880. [2d841]	(if not previously sold by Private Contract, of which due notice will be given), the	i Madrado \	KWOK ACHEONG, who died at Victoria in the Island of Hongkong on the 22nd day of	THE Steamship
Per Conquest, str., for Hollow, &c18 Chi-	be learnt on application. GEO. O. SCOTT.	THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 9, Mosque TERRACE; Water and Gas laid on.	lately carried on by Messrs. J. INGLIS & Co.,	CALDECOTT'S TOY BOOKS.  "Little Devils" CIGARETTES, without Paper.	Queen's Road West, Victoria, aforesaid, in the	Captain Roper, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 20th instant, at Noon.
Per Strathearn, for Vancouver's Island,—435	Oriental Bank Corporation.	The "EYRIE" at VICTORIA PEAK, FUR- NISHED, with Good Tennis Lawn and Garden. Apply to	known as the "VICTORIA FOUNDRY," situate at Spring Gardens, Victoria, together with all the VALUABLE PLANT, MACHINERY.	CIGARETTES, "Plantour Algérien."  "Golden Cloud" TOBACCO.  PORCELAIN DESK TABLETS.	Supreme Court of Hongkong, in its Probate Jurisdiction, on the 30th day of April, 1880, are hereby required to send, in writing, the Partion-	For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
bora.	CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.	Hongkong, 19th May, 1880. [179	TOOLS, and STOCK IN TRADE, and the TRADE FIXTURES and FITTINGS, and STEAM LAUNCHES, a Large Stock of Va-	SYRUP of PHOSPHATES, or PARRISH'S CHEMICAL FOOD.	lars of their CLAIMS or DEMANDS to the said Kwon Yin Kai and Kwon Yung Po at their residence, aforesaid, or to Mesers. Brere-	FOR HOIHOW, PAKHOI, AND HAI-
Per Killarney, str., for Foochow —30 Chinese. Per Rajanattianuhur, str., for Bangkok.—2 Europeans and 70 Chinese.	CAPITAL £800,000. RESERVE FUND £190,000.	TO BE LET, With Possession about the 15th May next, EA VIEW. TWO-IX-ROOMED HOUSES	luable PATTERNS, and the GOODWILL of the BUSINESS.	Brilliant, and Slightly Sparkling.	TON and WOTTON, the Solicitors of the said KWOK YIN KAI and KWOK YUNG Po, at their Office, 29, Queen's Road, Victoria, afore-	THE Steamship
REPORTS The British steamship Teucer reports left Lon-	Bankers. THE BANK OF ENGLAND.	STREET, now in course of construction on the site of the late Lusitano Theatre.	comprise the following:— Six Surfacing, Stiding, Screw Cutting	grant Flowers of the WILD COWSLIPS, which cover the Leicestershire Meadows.	said, on or before the 1st day of September, 1880. And Notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last mentioned day the said	Captain McCaslin, shortly due, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports.
don on 25th March, and Singapore on 11th May. Encountered unsettled weather in the China Sea.	THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.	Apply to DAVIS & Co. Honekong, 17th March, 1880	LATHES, all by first class makers, asserted heights and lengths, from 4 feet distance be- tween centres to 26 feet ditto, and from 6 inch	&c., &c., &c. Hongkong, 1st May, 1880.	Kwok Yin Kai and Kwok Yung Po will pro- ceed to distribute the Assets of the said Kwok Acheong, amongst the Parties entitled thereto,	
of the passage had light N.E. winds and fine	Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and re-	TO LET; With Immediate Possession.	height of centres to 16 inch ditto, fitted with making-up Blocks, Face Plates, Driver Chucks and Dock Chucks, Screw Gear, &c.	IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.	having regard to the Claims of which the said Kwok Yin Kai and Kwok Yung Po, or their Solicitors, the said Messrs. Brereton and	FOR SAIGON (DIRECT).
weather. The middle part strong S.W. winds and fine weather. The latter part light E. and N.E. winds and fine weather.	business.	Offices and Godowns attached.  "FAIRLEA," as a whole or divided, with	Four Double Gear and Single Gear DRILL- ING MACHINES, assorted sizes, by SMITH, BEACOCK, and TANNETT.	IN BANKRUPTCY.	WOTTON, have then had notice; and that the said Kwok Yin Kai and Kwok Yung Po will	"TUNIS." Captain Irvine, will be despatched for the above
SINGAPORE SHIPPING.	RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS. ON CUBRENT ACCOUNTS, 2 % PER ANNUM ON	separate entrances and Gardens, Tennis Lawn, &c. Commodious GODOWNS and Water-side	One PLANING MACHINE, by same makers, 10 feet by 4 feet.	INGLIS, A BANERUPI.	so distributed, to any person of whose Claim the said Kwok YIN KAI and Kwok YUNG Po	For Freight or Passage, apply to
May— ARRIVALS. 5, General Pel, Dutch steamer, from Acheen. 5, Zamboanga, Spanish str., from Samarang.	THE DAILY BALANCE.  ON FIXED DEPOSITS.	STORAGE.  DAVIS & Co. Hongkong, 5th May, 1880.  [281]	with Taps and Dies. One Eight Horse-power ENGINE and BOILER for Driving Machinery.	EASEHOLD PROPERTY for SALE, by Private Contract, by Order of the Official Assignee of the Estate, the residue of a term of	Dated this let day of May, 1880.	KUNG ONN, 58, Proya Central. Hongkong, 19th May, 1880. [843]
5, Eastern Isles, Brit. str., from Sourabaya. 5, Cheang H. Kian, Brit. str., from Swatow. 5, Fathol Carie, Dutch bark, from Amboina.	FOR 3 MONTHS, 3 %, PER ANNUM.  FOR 6 MONTHS, 4 %, PER ANNUM.	TO LET. TO LET. TO LET.	One very Substantial 74 owt. STEAM HAM.	21 years, commencing from the 1st day of January, 1874, at the monthly rental of \$300, of MARINE LOT No. 31, and the Western por-	BRERETON AND WOTTON, 761] 29, Queen's Road, Hongkong.	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  FOR SHANGHAI, VIA AMOY.
<ul> <li>5. Hankow, British steamer, from Cardiff.</li> <li>6. Kashgar, British steamer, from Shanghai.</li> <li>6. Tambora. Dutch steamer, from Batavia.</li> </ul>	blanager.	HOLLYWOOD ROAD, containing 6 Rooms and Out-houses.  Nos. 3 and 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE.	SHAFTING, with Wall Brackets, Pul-	tion of MARINE LOT No. 36, together with the MESSUAGES. WORKSHOPS, and	NOTICE.  T ANE, CRAWFORD & CO.	Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Cheroo, Newchwang, Tientsin, Hankow, and Ports on the Yangtsze.
6. Krumahtah, Siamese str., from Bangkok. 6. Celestial, British steamer, from Macassar. 6. Peshawar, British steamer, from Bombay.	Hongkong, 10th May, 1880. [1911]  JONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING	Apply to	One Six Horse power ENGINE and SILENT FAN; and One 30 Fire Roots' PATENT BLOWER, with SHAFTING, &c.	Iron Foundry, and lately in the occupation of John Inglis & Co.	for NEW MUSIC in their Special Order De-	THE Company's Steamship
6. Pluto, Colonial steamer, from Penang. 6. Ajax, British steamer, from Hongkong. 7. Malabar, Italian steamer, from Gonoa.	PAID UP CAPITAL 5.000,000 of Dollars.	TO LET. TOWO LARGE and Commodious ROOMS		Lessor, John S. Laphaik, Esq. Upwards of \$9,000 has been expended upon the Fremises by the Bankrupt since the com-	All Orders received up to the 29th of each month will go by the First Mail of the follow-	Captain C. Jackson, will be despatched on or about the 24th instant.
7, Atholl, British steamer, from Hongkong. 8, Johore, British steamer, from Penang.	COURT OF DIRECTORS:— Chairman—The Hon. W. KESWICK.	Apply to DUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.	One Set GRINDING MACHINERY, STONES, LAPS, &c.  Eighteen VICES, with Renchest &c., and	mencement of the Lease.  For further Particulars of the Property and Orders to view, apply to		BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
8, Louisa III., British str., from Malacca. 8, Raiobow, British steamer, from Malacca. 8, Ophir. Dutch steamer, from Rhio.	Deputy Chairman—A. McIver, Esq. Adolf André, Esq. H. Hoppins, Esq. E. B. Belilios, Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq.	TOTHE	Blacksmith's ANVILS. TOOLS, FORGES, and all necessary FITTINGS for Boiler Making.  Coppersmith's IRON and BRASS FOUND.	STEPHENS AND HOLMES, Solicitors for the Official Assignee. No. 2, Club Chambers,	A BARGAIN.	ROSE & Co.'s CELEBRATED LIME JUICE CORDIAL.
<ul> <li>S. Aurrera, Spanish steamer, from Liverpool.</li> <li>May Plower, British str., from London.</li> <li>Teucer, British steamer, from Liverpool.</li> </ul>	H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. W. S. Young, Esq. H. de Courcy Forbes, Esq. CHIBE MANAGER.	Apply to MEYER & Co.	ING and other Branches of ENGINEERING GEAR; Four Iron CUPOLAS, assorted sizes; Five Patent BRASS FURNACES assorted for	URLAY AND LANMAN'S	complete, tong the manner, and and a most,	Sole Agents for Hongkong and China,
9, Merionethshire, British str., from Landon, 9, Paknam, British steamer, from Bangkók. 9, Shuaydagone, British str., from Penang.	Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq., Manager. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq.	TO LET.	different sized Crucibles; Large ORYING STOVE with Iron Carriage on Rails; Small DRYING STOVES and CORE BENCHES.	CAUTION.	Price \$12. Also, a shoulder DUCK GUN, double-barrelled, full choke bore, self-attached fore-end, rebounding locks, central fire. Ad-	Hongkong, 19th May, 1880.
9, Pemba. British steamer, from Calcutta. 10, Benmore, British steamer, from Penang. May————————————————————————————————————	London Bankers-London & County Bank.  Hongkong-Interest Allowed.	PRAYA EAST, together with the Ground Floor, or separately.	TRYING PLATES, Ship Frame BENDING PLATES, Boiler Plate FURNACE.	Having learned that large quantities of IMITATIONS of our FLORIDA WATER	dress, "D. P.," care of Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 15th May, 1880. [773] NOTICE.	A RAUTERT MAYNZ'S DELICIOUS TABLE BEER. Awarded First Prize Medal, Sydney Fxhibition,
4, R. Brooke, Sarawak str., for Sarawak. 4, Pontianak, British steamer, for Cheribon. 4, Ganymede, British steamer, for Deli.	On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:—	GROUND FLOORS of HOUSES Nos. 3 and 4.  Apply to MEYER & Co.	A complete Stock of MOULDING BOXES and IRON LADLES, and Coal and Charcoal GRINDER and Loam BENCH,	bave recently been imported to Hongkong, we caution the Public against Purchasing any that does not bear the name Murray and Lan-	A LL Persons having CLAIMS against the Estate of the late B. R. WICKHAM in	SANDER & Co., Agents. Hougkong, 19th May, 1880. [Im848]
<ul> <li>6, Oriental, British steamer, for Calcutta.</li> <li>6, Cheang H. Kian, British str., for Penang.</li> <li>6, Laertes, British steamer, for London.</li> </ul>	For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. Local Bills Discounted.	Hongkong, 19th April, 1880. [667]	The PATTERNS are of all descriptions, and comprise Plain and Revel GEAR WHIELS	is wrapped with a Pamphlet printed on paper	China, and all Persons indebted thereto, are requested to forward their Claims and to make Payment of their indebtedness to the Under-	CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.
6, Orestes, British steamer, for Hongkong. 6, Romeo, British bark, for New York. 6, Billiton, British steamer, for Pontisuak.	CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange	LEY STREET, lately in the occupation of the Temperance Hall.	DECK FITTINGS. Also, Sets of High-	NEW YORK" in Water Mark.  Messrs. ME: CHERS & Co. are our ONLY	signed on or before the 30th proximo.  J. C. WARDLAW.  Executor and Liquidator of the above Estate.	SHAREHOLDERS in the above Office are re-
6. Glenroy, British steamer, for Hongkong. 6. Thos. A. Goddard, Am. bark, for Beston. 6. Weazel, British steamer, for Jambie.	business transacted.  DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia.	TWO ROOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS.  Apply to  DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	varying from 4 to 60 Horse power, nominal, Vertical and Horizontal.		Amoy, 21st April, 1880. [1m713	quested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December, 1879, in order that the Distri-
7, Tambora, Dutch steamer, for Acheen. 7, W. Mackinson, Dutch str., for Macassar. 7, Brisbane, British steamer, for Hongkong.		Hongkong, 28th April, 1880. [4]	The STOCK-IN TRADE consists of an Assortment of BRASS FITTINGS for Boilers and Engines, COPPERPLATES and TUBES.	FOR SALE.	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO.	bution of the Profits reserved for the Contribu- tors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 15th Juna next will be adjusted by
<ol> <li>C. Monarch, British str., for Hongkong.</li> <li>General Pel, Dutch steamer, for Balavia.</li> <li>Zamboanga, Spanish str., for Bangkok.</li> </ol>	No. 1, Queen's Road East, 91 Hongkong, 28th April, 1880.  (HARTERED MERCANTILE BANK	PLECE of GROUND, containing about 10,000 feet, at Spring Gardens, on Inland Lot No. 199, commanding, a good view of the har-	BOLTS and NUTS assorted BOILER	A TUTUER, PALMER & Co.s	EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "TEUCER," FROM LIVERPOOL.	the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.  JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
7. Jupun, British steamer, for Malacca. 8. Eastern Isles, British str., for Sourabaya. 8. Rainbow, British steamer, for Malacca.	OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.	Apply to BRERETON & WOTTON, Solicitors, 29, Queen's Road.	IRON, asserted sizes; a large quantity of CAST STEEL BARS, BLISTER STEEL, CAST IRON SHEAVES, CENTRES for Wood	PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. SHERRIJES, at \$101, 391, 39, and \$81 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS.	SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 21st inst. for shipment per steamer "ANCHISES."	Hongkong, 10th May, 1880.
8. Kashgar, British steamer, for Bombay. 8. Peshawur, British steamer, for Hongkong. 8. Atholl, British steamer, for Penang.	(Incorposated by Royal Charter).	TO LET.	Sheaves, PIG IRON, Old CAST IRON, &c., &c.	CHAMPAGNE, at \$13\frac{1}{2} PER CASE OF 2 DOZEN PINTS. CHAMPAGNE, at \$12\frac{1}{2} PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 18th May, 1880. — 1844	UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.
8. Louisa III., British steamer, for Malacca. 8. Volonta d'Dio, Italian bark, for Marseilles. 8. Miona, German schooner, for Scoloc.	The following RATES of INTEREST are ALLOWED on FIXED DEPOSITS, FOR 12 MONTHS, 5 %, PER ANNUM.	on the Prays. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co	Alko,	QUARTS. HOCK, at 59 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN-QUARTS. BRANDIES, * ** *** and ****, at \$7\frac{1}{2}, \$8\frac{1}{2}, \$10.	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer	A FIRST BONUS of TWENTY-FIVE PER
VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS	FOR 6 MONTHS, 4 % PER ANNUM.  FOR 3 MONTHS, 2 % PER ANNUM.	Hongkong, 6th February, 1880. [272]  TO LET.  FURNISHED HOUSE in CAINE ROAD.	One JIB CRANE, complete, Four STEAM BOILERS of various powers.	and 311 FER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS.  Detailed Price Lists on application to	"TEHOER"	DIVIDEND of ONE HUNDRED and SIXTY
IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA. (Per last Mail's Advice.)	H. H. NELSON, Manager. Hongkong, 1st June, 1879.	H. A. WOOLNOUGH,	CHAINS. One STEAM-LAUNCH, about 60 feet long.	Hongkong, 6th January, 1880. [28]	of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignes, risk. The Carro will be ready for	payable on TUESDAY, the 11th instant.  Warrants may be had on application at the
Gleniffer (s.)	TATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED	TO LET.	with House, Double Engines, &c., complete, and VERY FAST.  One Deck STEAM-LAUNCH, about 50 feet	MOR SALE. BEST GENUINE OSTRICH	delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 18th May, 1880.  Goods undelivered after the 24th May, 1880, will be subject to Boot.	By Order of the Board,  N. J. EDE,  Secretary.
Roseneath Manila April 1  Mohin Saigon April 1  Inch Keith Saigon April 1  Ban Rhydding Saigon	Registered in Loudon under the Companies' Act of 1862, on 23rd March, 1866.	ROAD CENTRAL, opposite the City Hall, and known as the "Beaconsfield Areade," suit-	<del></del>	FEATHERS, of different sizes and collows, dressed and undressed, at very MODERATE PRICES and suitable for Ladies, Hats.	will be subject to Rent.  BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  Hongkong, 18th May, 1880. [819]	Hongkong, 6th May, 1880. [779  ANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA.
	Established in Calcutta 29th September, 1863. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	IP.2	The whole of the Property will be offered for Sale in One Lot as a going concern; if not so sold, it will be put up for Sale in Lots, on	12, Peel Street.	FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.	TION. NOTICE.
Johan Henrick Saigon April 6	PAID-UP CAPITAL £465,250. RESERVE FOND £35,000.	Commissariat Buildings.  Hongkong, 11th March, 1880. [438]	TUESDAY, the 25th day of May next, and following days.  Catalogues will be issued; the whole will be	NOW ON SALE.	THE Steamship "MERIONETHSHIRE."	In accordance with the Articles of Agreement, the Directors have declared a DIVIDEND to
the state of the s	HEAD OFFICE:— S9A. THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON, E.C.	<b>e F</b>	on view for one week previous to the Sale. Further Particulars can be obtained from Messrs Sharp, Toller, and Johnson, Solicitors,		Rickard, Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that the Goods, excepting Machinery	POLICYHOLDERS for the 12 Months ending 31st December, 1:79, of TWENTY-ONE PER CENT. ON THE NET PREMIA CONTRIBUTED, payable
VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG. (Corrected to Date).  Pizano	LONDON BANKERS:— NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND. NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.	STEEL PENS.  GOLD MEDAL, PARIS, 1878.	Supreme Court House, or from the Undersigned.  LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,  Auctioneers.	and The Winners and O. 12	and beavy Cargo, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchai.	at our Office, on and after the 17th proximo.  Policyholders are requested to send in Parti-
Niegara	All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted.		Hougkong, 21st April 1880. [686] VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.	PRICE:	Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on	By Order of the Directors.  RUSSELL & Co
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Greeian Cardiff Feb. 24 General Fairchild Flushing Feb. 24 Rossini Cardiff Feb. 28	RICH. BRAUN. Hongkong, 30th March, 1880. [568	THERS, FETLOCK BOOTS, &c., and hope shortly to receive DESIGNS for CAPRIAGES, &c., &c.	Island of Hongkong, abutting on the North, side thereof on the Queen's Road, and measur-	Ship. Tons	and packages of Machinery, shipped by Messrs. G. Buchanan & Co., are requested to communicate at once with the undersigned.	By Order of the Directors,  RUSSELL & Cpg. Secretaries
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Hongkong, May 19th, 1880.

LIEB the kindred institutions at Canton

Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow, the Chinese Hospital at Shanghai is fulfilling a useful Parade Ground, and it therefore took place in mission, mitigating the sum of native misery, the Murray Barracks under shelter. and unostentatiously spreading a knowledge of medical science among the Chinese. The work of the Hospital in the Model Settlement has steadily progressed under the superintendence of the present Medical Officer, Dr. Johnston, who is greatly esteemed among the natives, many of whom have excellent cause to be grateful to him. The report of the Hospital shows that 645 inpatients and 16,016 out-patients have been treated during the past year, while the total number of vaccinations during the same period was 5,129. The spread of vaccination has always been materially assisted nine days and thatitwas expected that the verdict must be precise and definite, that it was say. by the branch hospital in the native city, would be 'not guilty' on both charges. This not competent for the learned Attorney. under the charge of Mr. Wong Chung-POO. Dr. Johnston stuted, at the annual behaviour before the enemy in riding to head but that it was for him to set out according to the I don't say it is libel. meeting of trustees and subscribers to the quarters for assistance when Captain Moriarty's common rules of criminal procedure the precise Hospital on the 10th metant, that, in consequence of the Chinese employing vacci-Army Pay Department." nation to so large an extent, small-pox is on the decline not only in and around Shang. FATAL ACCIDENT IN THE HARBOUR. in this case the defendant was seriously smbar. says here, in mitigation or aggravation afterhai, but throughout the province of Kiang-

hoped that as much may be said of Kwang tung. Unfortunately we have no figures at hand, but we may safely may that the ravages | who was accidentally killed in the harbour on different counts, except where it was authorised deliberate reassertion of the facts of the libel. of sinall-pox have been less extensive in the Saturday, under discountances already reported. by statute; the rule which prevented all duplicity you know. Will you plead this plea? south during the past few years. The bulk of Chinese in the treaty ports are now thoroughly convinced of the efficacy of vacciuntion, and appear to entertain no absurd prejudice against this valuable safeguard. It is a most encouraging circumstance in connection with the Medical Missions in China that so many of the Chinese officials were close up to the whart. I tried to push off with that pleawhich the law gave him for his lefeuce, his for the trial.

practitioners. The Taotai of Shanghai is strong supporter of the hospital in the native city, and the Chinese Magistrate at to recognise the services rendered by the institution to the Chinese population. At Canton several of the high officials have at different times sought the advice of Dr.

referred to the successful treatment of this

joy the benefits of foreign medical treat.

a personage as the Grand Secretary to a be-

particular the natives have shown a genuine

appreciation of the benefits which the Euro-

have not refused to bear testimony to the

HONGKONG is an island of many and fragrant

streams; and no lack of water, that great

essential to health and comfort, should be

experienced by the inhabitants. Unfor-

tunately, however, in the midst of plenty,

there is drought. Paradoxical as this may

seem, it is only too true. Large numbers of

which regularly pay the water rate, get

not a drop of that precious fluid except

what they send for from the nearest

tank. This supply is not always a very

liberal one, even in wet weather, as the

complaint of our Chinese correspondents.

published in another column, will prove; and

in the dry season, much and serious incon-

venience is felt from the insufficient supply.

Were the Chinese residents to use the water

on the same scale as the British and foreign

community do, the supply would be weefully

on Stonceutter's Island, and should

community-more especially the Chinese

who are the chief sufferers from the existing

scarcity-while the latter may be classed

as a costly experiment, to gratify a guber-

natorial or Colonial Office whim. The

deficiency in the water supply is a sub-

ect that should receive the prompt and

earnest consideration of the Head of the

Executive. He has shown so much deference

to the opinion, of the "leading Chinese

will consult them in this particular. They

would, doubtless, represent to him that the

welfare of the honest natives is of more im-

portance than the comfort of criminals in the

guol, and that the latter can better afford to

wait for increased breathing space than the

The E. and A. Royal Mail steamer Menmuic,

Captain Eilis, went round to Aberdeen Dock

The Supreme Court sitting in Criminal Ses-

The United States man-of-war Swatara ar-

We are informed by the agents (Messrs. But,

terfield and Swire), that the Ocean Steamship

Company's steamer Anchives, from Liverpool

left Singapore on the afternoon of the 15th inst.

Return of visitors to the City Hall Museum for

Sunday ...... Sunday ..... Sunday

company was attacked on the Intombi River.

· EUROPEAN. CHINESE.

ived at Bingapore on the morning of the 10th

sions yesterday, the Summary Court was ad-

former for a proper supply of water.

vesterdny morning.

journed until Thursday.

instant en route to China.

the week ending May 16th :--

Monday .....

KERR, and they contribute towards the support of the Hospital in that city. But the most important success achieved in this | the wharf. The deceased and the fireman tried | The letter, if it contained libellous matter at away the jury as a day had been lost thereby. direction has been the favourable impression to push the launch off, and in doing so the de. all, contained three distinct charges of libel. censed got his head crushed.

a verdict of accidental death, and added that have a fair opportunity of pleading to them they thought the accident was caused by an longht to be divided into three different counts. error of judgment on the part of the deceased.

> SUPREME COURT. 18th May.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS. BEFORE THE HON. CHIEF JUSTICE, SIE JOHN SMALE.

THE LIBEL CASE. On the opening of the Court the Judge spoke to Mr. Francis in reference to a notice of motion he had given that the indictment in the case of Mr. John Pitman, charged with libel on Mr. H. H. Nelson, might be quashed or amended. The Attorney General, in reply to his Lordship, said the Crown Solicitor had received notice

His Lordship—Then do you appear on it? The Attorney-General-I do not. His Lordship—Then it is ex-parts.

Mr. Francis said the application was, first to quash the indictment on the ground LUNG, FOOCHOW, WENCHOW, NINGPO, SHANG- some day be constituted the arbiter of it was bad in point of law. The learned which set out the occupation of Mr. Nelson, ICHANG, CHEFOO, TAKU, TIENTEIN, NEW- would be in a position to revolutionise that of Mr. Jackson, to whom the letter was CHWANG, PEKING, NAGASAKI, KOBE (HIGGO), the system of medical treatment throughout addressed, and then the whole of the letter, but the whole latter being put in he must justify which was charged as the libel. Mr. Hayllar now said he appeared for the

> Attorney-General, who has power to stop you not guilty as to other portions. That is the at any time. He has the power to enter a nolle commonest thing in the world. pean professors of the healing art have been prosequiat any moment able to dispense, and even the mandarins

to enter a nolle prosequi. His Lordship—It is your duty to see the prosecution is properly conducted, and, if it is not. for you to stop it. You are answerable for this other part. information much further than the Attorney-General in England. You are the Grand Jury.

ell you my opinion. The Attorney-General-Well, I only tell your Lordship what mine is, His Lordship-I never heard of subscription

subscribe to what your Lordship has said!

o a judge's dictum vet. Mr. Francis asked to be informed whether this was a public or private prosecution, because\_the Act of 6 and 7 Victoria, under which this prosecution took place, gave the defendant in a private prosecution the right to his costs in case the judgment was in his favour. He took it the counsel for the prosecution was instructed by private solicitors, and he submitted that before they went any further be was entitled to know in what position they stood—whether the Crown was proceeding against them or it was a private prosecution.

Crown Solicitor prosecutes. I know nothing Mr. Francis-May I suggest to your Lordship to ask the question? His Lordship-I certainly shall not. I ask

His Lords ip -- As it stands at present the

short. It is now, however, as we have freno questions. I find the Crown Solicitor acting quently pointed out, altogether inadequate in this prosecution according to his usual duty. Mr. Francis-Then I submit the defendant to the wants of a large Eastern city. ought not to be left in that position. He ought We are perfectly well aware that to to know who prosecutes. render the water supply sufficient for His Lordship—I cannot help that.

Mr. Francis-Your Lordship has the power all purposes would entail the outlay of a n your hands to say you will not allow these proceedings to go on until that information is that it would need to be sproud over several His Lordship-Well, I don't choose to say

years—but this work is of infinitely greater, Mr. Francis-If your Lordship outs it in that way there is an end of it. I thought you were suggesting a doubt whether you had power to do aut's plea. He could find no case in which even be placed in the same category of The first is necessary to the

His Lordship-What were you reading? Mr. Francis-I was reading Lord Campbell's Act, and calling your Lordship's attention to that section which gives the defendant costs if it is a private presecution. His Lordship—I cannot see why this was not

arraction at civil law. Mr. Francis-I am afraid no one else can. His Lordshin-I have nothing to do with that. Mr. Francis then resumed his argument on the indictment, and submitted that three-fourths of the letter set out were not, on the face of it, defamatory, and it was set out without a single averment or invendo to show in what sense the prosecutor wished it to be taken, to show in gentlemen" of the Colony, that perhaps he what sense he charged them with having defamed Mr. Nelson, without giving the expressions in the letter said to affect Mr. Nelson in his capacity as manager of a bank, or showing how the tendency was to injure him in that capacity. The only intent charged was to inare Mr. Nelson in his capacity as manager of a bank, and throughout the information from beginning to end there were no invendoes and no averments to point out or show what statements in the latter, whether true or false, were connected with Mr. Nelson in his capacity as manager of a bank, or to show how they were likely to produce any ill effect on him in his position. is Lordship would remember that in every action for libel or defematory words in connec-

> and shown or alleged how these words were connected with him in his business. I may be wrong, that if the common-sense of mankind considers it is a libel it is unnecessary What was written in heat is one thing, not to allege the mode or form in which it is so.

tion with a man's business it must be set out

the face of them defematory. It may be very proper and apposite for you to makes it a subject matter for very serious con- second prisoner said he had engaged Mr. John- which has become a little Paris in the desert for nature, he might count ou 50,000 Spanish troops show that as a matter of fact the words don't sideration afterwards. The words of the Act son, and S3 was given as an instalment, the com- elegance, luxury, and comfort, and which it is at once crossing the Pyrenees. To most people The General's inspection of the 27th (Innis- evidence, do they or do they not apply in an killing) Regiment took place yesterday morning opprobrious sense, in a sense damaging him not tion it shall be competent to the court, in at six c'clock. Owing to the inclemency of the only as a man, but as a trusted officer of an in. pronouncing sentence, to consider whether the

weather the inspection could not be held on the corporated bank? of the Queen against Yates, reported in Cox's

form as here. His Lordship said that where a passage might | without such pleafor justification." be read in two wave it was clear there must be an invende if you wanted to convert it into a libel I tion. -to show that it was the libellous sense in which it was written. In that case it was stated a man was a seller and killer of game, and it might account well be that he was a licensed seller and killer, and an advertiser of his occupation.

Mr. Francis enbmitted that where the alleged | tion vice Gazette will be found of interest to the friends trade the indictment must show not merely how language. of the gallant 80th Regiment here :- '80th Re- the words, if they were themselves ambiguous, giment. From a letter dated Pietermaritzburg, had a defematory meaning, but must also Lient. H. H. Harward had then been sitting for business. He also submitted the libel charged it a cool statement by the defendant. That I officer, who was invalided home, was ordered Goneral to charge as the libel a long letter under any oircumstances be dealt with as libel.

Captain Howard has been nominated for the rest, which was only evidence in support, only the framework in which the libel was set and rassed in framing his pleas and calling evidence wards. su. This is a gratifying fact, and it is to be tracy yesterday, by the Acting Goroner, Mr. G. history of criminal procedure in England, the is token in mitigation; it does not necessarily soners being allowed ball in \$250 each. S. Northcote, and a jury composed of Messrs. A. ground of the rules with reference to pleading - follow it must be in aggravation. J. Lewis, C. F. Ozorio, and A. F. de J. Sopres, the refusal to allow two different charges to be ... His Lordship-I have not said so. I have Stag. said-On the 15th instant, about midday, one count-was the embarrassment it caused to the sion I will abandon the motion. we were going to the steamer White Cloud from defendant in pleading to and meeting those Peddar's Wharf. When about thirty or forty charges, and he submitted that in this particular when you have pleaded. engines to be stopped. The order was compiled entitled to use a special plea, he was entitled to he does not like the plea to object to it. with. The tide being very strong the launch have the information so framed that he might still continued, to go fowards the wherf, and, use that ples to the best advantage. If the inwhen close to it, the deceased ordered the engines formation had been purposely so framed as to

my hands, as did also the deceased. Seeing that Lordship, following the precedents, would either

a him to stoop down as I did. The deceased's of his right to plead justification. Here, he Mr. Francis said the Ordinance required that head was then crushed, as I thought it would be submitted, he could not plend justification, be- the plea should be instanter on arraignment and I pushed off the launch as fastas I could and the cause a number of other matters were set out as suggested that the more convenient course would deceased than dropped down on the deck. Some being part of the libel which were not libellous; a | be to fix a day for the trial, and in the meantime the Mixed Court has always been anxious rags were bound around his head and he was sent number of facts were in that letter which on the he could serve notice of his pleas. to Hospital. He was alive when taken from the face of it were not libellous and to be made libel. It was then arranged that the defence should lous would need, distinct averment on the part of give notice of their pleas, but no day was fixed Inspector Bremner said there was no further the prosecutor. It ought to be specially stated in for the trial. The Coroner sold there was not much light to be defamatory, in what sense the presecutor been an action, then the jury would have been cipal facts were that the tide was very strong plead to those particular parts and deny them or sense thing. and the men on board were unable to con. justify them in that sense in which the pro- The argument having been concluded by eleven trol the launch and prevent her colliding with secutor alleged they were to be understood, o'clook, his liordship lamented that he had sen There were three distinct subjects dealt with The jury, after a short deliberation, returned in it, and these, if the defendant was to

There was one portion of it which had reference to Mr. Nelson's conduct in the Chamber of Commerce as a speaker at a public meeting. There was a second portion of it which referred to some particular transactions with which the late Mr Heaton was connected, here was a third portion of it which simply referred to Mr. Nelson as a trafficker in shares generally His Lordship—That is, he deals in shares being a person who ought not so to deal. Mr. Francis-I should be content with the

containing three distinct assertions. His Lordship—Libellons assortions ? Mr. Francis-I won't admit that. His Lordship-But will every man of common: sense take it so? Mr. Francis-Very well.

His Lordship-It is not that you admit it so,

words as stated, but I submit that may be read as

but is it capable of being so rendered without an inuendo P mit that, but he submitted he was entitled April until the 5th April in the Suez Canal, and Major-General Anson was a passenger by the used on all those islands." he did not say whether he was going to do so Counsel then proceeded to read the information, or not—to plead to each separately that they 18th of the same month, off Socotra he was Colony will again be assumed by him.—Straits were true in substance and fact and that it was logged for insubordination, and he then draw a Times. for the public benefit they should be published:

His Lordship-You may say that so much you don't justify and so much you do justify His Lordship-Under the direction of the and so forth-plead guilty as to portions and Mr. Francis-But there comes the question.

The Attorney-General-Yes, I have the power | can I? It seems to me, under the words of the statute, I am not at liberty to choose any part: His Lordship-Then you say you cannot plead guilty to part of the letter and not guilty to the you I had been charged four times for man Mr. Francis-In a civil action I could.

His Lordship-Then why not in a criminal action? Where is the difference of pleading? The Attorney-General—I cannot altogether Mr. Francis - Well, it seems to be so laid down His Lordship asked Mr. Francis if he had His Lordship—I don't ask you to. I only Mr. Francis said he had a good deal more to

say it depended partly on what Mr. Havllar His Lordship said in that case he thought be ought not to keep the jury waiting during this very instructive argument, but which might not be very instructive to the jury. Mr. Francis said he was quite in his Lord.

His Lordship - What do you say Mr. Havllar? Mr. Havllar-I leave it entirely in your Lord-His Lordship said he thought that as they. had got into the argument they had better finish it, and the jurors might therefore go now and attend to-morrow instead.

Mr. Francis, resuming his orgament, said his contention was that putting three charges regether and alleging them as being one libel was extremely embarrassing to the defend ant and deprived him of the full benefit of the plea of justification given him by the statute but if his Lordship considered he could please justification to a part without pleading it to the whole, that would meet the difficulty.

His Lordship asked Mr. Havllar if he denied the power of the defendant, a long letter being nut in to allege as to part. I am guilty as to part. I justify the statement. Mr. Hayllar said he did not. He thought the matter was decided by authority, and cited passage in Sturkey on replication of plea, in which it was held the defendant was at liberty to deny the whole or any part. Mr. Francis submitted the plaintiff's replica-tion was a very different thing from the defend-

partial justification had been pleaded. His Lordship said it was the same as cases. The plea would be this, first, not guilty as to the whole; second, as to so much justification; and so, on. They had therefore in that way a plea of not guilty as to the whole. and then they selected such portions as they said they could justify. That seemed to be the meaning of the words that there should be the same power of pleading as in civil cases.

Mr. Francis-Your Lordship having taken that view we are relieved of the embarrassment under which we laboured and I will withdraw the motion. His Lordship, addressing Mr. Hayllar, said he did not wish by a hasty decision to deprive the defence of any real benefit they might have, and suggested they should see what their plea was. Mr. Hayllar-It is the common sense of the thing. It lies in this way. They write one letter. The letter, as my learned friend says. would be wrong. It is only one charge, but it to others I justify them. It is common sense.

Lordship's view is the right one. His Lordship-I would rather let them put in their pleas and let this matter stand over, their plea and that the fee for that would be \$50. The His Lordship-I have always understood, but to be no prejudice to the motion, until we see how | complainant not having that amount was the thing stands. But I would say one thing here. Mr. Francis-That is so, if the words are on afterwards is another, and by affirming what was said he makes another libel of it in the mind and. His Lordship—Well, that is not to quash. Intent of the writer, and, as the act puts it, yer, and \$12 was paid. On the 20th March the the chief attractions of this region is Tashkend, with the insular Power an arrangement of this are these: -" If after such plea the defendant shall be convicted on such indictment or informaguilt of the defendant is aggravated or mitigated Mr. Francis referred his Lordship to the case | by the said plea, and by the evidence given to prove or disprove the sum of provided always

Criminal Cases, vol. 12, in which he said the that the truth of the matters charged in the indistment charged pretty much in the same alleged libel complained of by such indictment or information shall in no case be inquired into Mr. Francis-Either aggravation or mitiga-His Lordship-Certainly, but the spirit in

Mr. Francis-It sounds very like it. Mr. Francis.- A statement in court cannot

back to the Cape to be tried for his alleged mis- part only of which was or might be defamatory. His Lordship-Very well, we shall see that: Mr. Francis-The defendant and his witnesses words he said were defamatory and to out off the are protected in everything they say that is & propos to the matter. His Lordship-No doubt they are, and so is not part of the charge itself. By his not so doing the prisoner, but it must be taken, as the book

on the body of a Chinese male named ho Alook, joined in the same information, even in two said aggravation or mitigation. But it is a Toung Tai Yan firemen on the steam launch of pleading, that was, charging two offences in Mr. Francis-With your Lordship's permis-His Lordship-I shall know how it will be

asked to put in his plea."

have of late years acknowledged their une- if he did not move his head he would be ornshed quash the indictment or order it to be amended, mediately after arraignment with such a plea as fulness and testified to the skill of foreign between the what and the house, I called out to so that the defendant might have the full benefit! this.

the information what parts of the letter were said . His Lordship ... I must say I wish this had thrown upon the circumstances. The prin | understood them, so that the defendant might | the judges instead of myself. It is the common

POLICE COURT.

BEFORE C. V. CREAGH, Esq. DRUNKENNESS.

Poter Hales, a seamon on H.M.S. Comus, wa fined half-a-dollar for being drunk and incapable DRUNKENNESS ON A STEAMER. Elward Burton, cook on board the British steamer Celtic Mon irch, was charged by Captain A. Roper with being drunk and using insubordinate language on board the steamer. Captain Roper said-The prisoner is the cook and baker on board my vessel, the Celtic Mon. arch. He shipped in London on the 16th March as such to serve for two years or for the voyage out and back. My charge against him is being River. It is generally thought here that hostihabitually drunk. We left London on the lities will be confined to the north. 16th March, and since that time I have five antries in the official log-book against him for drunkenness. When in that state he is very insubordinate to the officers and myself, and of course neglects his duties. Witness Mr. Francis said that for the purposes of the read the extracts from the log, showing that the on the 7th inst. was knocked down at the sum below it on the other islands, decidedly proves argument as to innerspes he was willing to ad. prisoner was drunk on and off from the 3rd of \$3,000. in respect of each of the three allegations on searching the ship three cases of gin was P. and O. steamer Kachgar on the 8th instant found to have seven bottles missing. Un the for Penang, the Lieut. Governorship of which

> arge knife at the master. On the 26th, in the Bay of Bengal. he said he complained of being ill and he was allowed to go on the sick list for three days and had every medical comfort. On the 15th instant he was drunk and insolent to the chief officer, and on the following day be was again drunk and incapable and insolent. On the 5th April when he was drunk in the Canal he had to be put in irons.

> By the prisoner—The entries read over were made on the dates they purport to be made. did not threaten to kill you, neither did I tell slaughter. I did tell you I would go for your wages like thunder.

Richard Frauland, chief officer, said—I have been to sea for about thirty years. I have had command of a vessel myself, and have been a chief officer on a steamer for the last three years. have often seen the prisoner drunk; three or four times in the Suez Canal and twice in Hongkong. His drunkenness has caused much in convenience to the crew. I have also heard him on several occasions use insubordinate language to the captain. On Sunday night he was very insolent to me.

By the prisoner—When you were drunk you always neglected your duties and spoilt the food At Port Said you were drunk in the evening and morning. We had three ladies and one gentleman passenger. We do have hot meat and different things for our tes. There was a boy in the galley with you and he was taken away and put into the cabin as steward. Captain Roper said that the boy came on card the vessel on a shilling a month. He was a poor lad and witness took compassion on him.

Now he is steward on £5 a month, and is a very Howard Dollman, second officer, gave coro-Captain Roper said he could not press the charge about the knife as he had no witnesses to.

rather a serious charge. The prisoner said he was only drunk twice. He was ill on account of the very hot galley, and when the boy was taken away he was annoyed. His Worship-Why did you not complain about the galley before you signed articles? Prisoner—I did not know we were to have any

His Worship-You know it is a passenger ship Prisoner-I was not drunk as often as I have een accused. The captain is a very nice gentleman, but is rather hasty. On Sunday morning I drank some samshu and that made me drank. All these complaints have been largely magnified. dence before me that you were drunk on several dispelled in the new-year's festival. ccasions. Your drankenness not only conses. inconvenience to all on board but a less to the owners. I convict you of neglect of duty and order you to forfeit six days' pay, and you will n to gaol for fourteen days! with hard labour.

Kom Yik Wan, a broker, and Wong Man Fai, a ship broker, were charged by one Tong Kan Hing, a salesman, with obtaining \$75 from him by means of false pretences on or about the 15th March last.

ALLEGED EMBEZZLEMENT.

Sergeant Toomey proved arresting the first prisoner in a house in Queen's-road. The second prisoner went to the charge-room to bail the first prisoner out at five o'clock p.m., and the

sergeant recognised and arrested him. From the evidence of Tong Kan Hing, a salesdoes practically contain three charges, but all man in the Sheung On hong. Wo Hing street, it going to the same end. Well, it would not be appeared he had known the first prisoner for fair for me to divide up a thing into three dis. several years, and the second prisoner since the tinct charges. Then I think the indictment first month of this year. The complainant was agent for the Wo Tai foreign goods bong which is natural the defendant might say as to some of owed the Tai Cheong mat shop about \$2,000, and the charges they are not libellous, as to others I was afraid of being held bail for this amount as be maintain privilege or plead not guilty, and as had ordered the goods. The first prisoner told witness he could introduce him to a friend who and I should be the last person to take understood such cases and would assist him. exception to it. I think it is concluded by and a few days after this the second prisoner authority and therefore I have no doubt your was brought forward, and was told the circumstances of the case. He then told complainant that he had would have to consult Mr. Johnson. told by the second prisoner he might pay by justifiable but excusable; what is said months agreement was thereupon made. On the 15th and asked him for some money to engage a law to those districts is yearly increasing. Among Britain of Gibraltar. If he could scheme out

he had better get another lawyer to defend him stage that vegetation is to be found on the sand. Sucz Canal, the French Government undertaking previous to this given the complainant to under- of drinkable water. In the Kara-Kum desert Toulon was to be created a neutral port in effect, which the thing is done must be taken into stand that they were employing a lawyer. The drinkable water is to be found at a depth of a thus giving England coaling right at that hit-Mr. Francis-I submit your Lordship is ing on, advised the complainant to engage a bar from twenty-four to forty metres deep. The were to be offered to England to reconcile ber to threatening the defendant if he pleads justifica. rister and a solicitor, said he would engage temperature in the Kara-Kum, too, is mild, and the cession of Gibraltar. A dinner was arranged tion.

Mr. Dennys, whose fee would be \$25, and \$50 the sand-hills are covered in the summer with to be given by certain persons in a Tours hotel; The following paragraph from the United Ser- defamation was of a man in connection with his His Lordship—I am not, and that is improper for the barrieter, and asked the complainant to human and the complainant to human and the complainant to have defamation was of a man in connection with his pay \$50 down and the rest in about ten days. sorts would be far more abundant if the plants and when the matter was to be discussed. Lord \$30 was paid down, and on the 29th ultimo the were not habitually destroyed by the nomad Lord Lyons accepted the invitation, but excused His Lordship-I do say the repeating of a second prisoner asked for \$20, which was paid. Turkomans. February 22ud, we learn that the court-martial ou show how they wore connected with his libel here and alleging it to be true is then making On the 3rd or 4th instant the complainant sent for the second prisoner to go to Mr. Dennys and they went, but Mr. Dennys was out. On the way home the complainant told the second prisoner that he had Beard he was going to Canton and said he (the complainant) would like to see the lawyer and ascertain what money he had received. The second prisoner replied it was too late then and that he had no receipt for what had been given. The next day the second prisoner went to Canton, and the complainant on calling upon Mr. Dannya learned from him that he had an information at the Police Court.

CORRESPONDENCE

WANTED! WATER TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." had any effect whatsoever.

expressed by our Correspondents.]

is taken of our complaint.

CANTON. FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

city suddenly ceased business on the 11th inst., career beyond the Caspian. His last three without notice. It is said that the proprietors campaigns of 1877, 1878 and 1879 were so partihad some dispute with the mandarine, but I cularly ignominious—the Tekkes chasing his have no particulars. The capital invested in army each time back to its base of operationsthese businesses is usually very large. I have that the wonder is, not that Lomakin should not heard the capital of the firm alluded to estimated have retrieved his reputation, but that such a at 80.000 tacks.

On account of the long delay in the arrival of kept so incapable a man at the head of its troops the newly appointed Provincial Treasurer, the so long, Globs. Acting Vicercy of the Two Kwang has memorialised the Throne to allow the official in question to take up his post immediately. In response, the Emperor has ordered the Treasurer elect to proceed at once to Canton without baving the usual audience.

The Chinese in this city are considerably interested in the political situation. A report is current among them that actual hostilities have commenced with Russia in Central Asia, and that the Russian troops have been defeated by Tso Tsung-tang's brayes. This must be premature, or the news would have spread elsewhere. The natives of the City of Rams are not plarmed at the prospect of the war, as they do not believe the Russians would visit the Canton

SINGAPORE.

THE TERROR AT MANDALAY

A person just down from Mandalay has given of Dahomey than of aught else. We stated a day or two ago that the king was seriously illwith small-pox. For the last 24 hours an improssion has been gaining ground that the nutient ons specimbed to the fell disease. The reported interruption of the telegraph wire between this and Mandalay would seem to confirm the rumour. for it is a well-known fact that whenever there is any bad news, the line invariably breaks down. Be that as it may, no one, we feel confident, can read the following news from Upper Burmah

Great constarnation prevailed when it leaked out that the king was ill. It appeared as if the Shippy phound day (the royal golden might) had deserted him, and the worst fears were at once entertained. Gradually as his condition became more serious, the royal astrologers declared that the nats or evil spirits were infuriated, and that othing short of human sacrifices could appeare them. The first was forth with issued, and nightly sacrifices were offered. By degrees as the people began to recever from the first shock caused by these bloody hecatombs, the executioners became more daring. Seizures were actually made in the streets after dusk, the unfortunate victims being generally helpless young girls. Poonabs, however and even obnoxious phoongees were carried off. It will easily be undertood that these barbarities cast a gloom over the whole town: everyone was in the deepest consternation nobody felt safe, and after sunset the streets were perfectly silent and deserted. At the same time it was proclaimed that anyone convicted of alluding to these sacrifices was to expiate his insubstantiate it, though if pressed it would be discretion by immediate death. One night three or four ruffians were discovered lurking about the convent, and attempting to decoy two of the girls, threatening to murker them should they raise an alarm. The terrified girls fled screaming frantically, and the whole Christian Burmese comunity roused by their ories for help rushed en masse to the resone armed with dahs and clubs. Two of the secondrols were arrested, and it was with the utmost difficulty that the captors were prevailed upon not to lynch their viotims

> there and then: Bince then every night more viotims are snatched away and secretly executed. These sacrifices are to last till the water-feast, by which time the nats will be pacified, as all ill-feeling must be

It is positively a Reign of Terror, and it will be a lasting represent to the British nation that it has tolerated such revolting atrocities as have above :taken place within the past twelve months. Where is the bosated mission of civilisation with high England is supposed to be entrusted in savago lands Howeverineredible this idea of human sacrifices

may be, it is well-known that the same thing was attempted to be carried out in the old King's time, when he lay at the door of death; several people were actually seized and would assuredly have been sacrificed had not the old monarch ust then rallied. Heaving of the intentions of his ministers, he gave positive orders that no such bloody oblation should be offered up on his

If Theebaw be really dead, the difficulty is solved, and by next mail steamer we may expect to hail the advent of the Prince of Ngyoung-yan en route to Mandalay: if still alive, let us hope that the measure is full, and that the British Lion will at last think it time to interfere. It s absolutely necessary to do so if we wish to save the little that remains of our prestige. What is the slavery we are so auxious to suppress all over the world compared to this horrible sterifice of human beings to the Moloch of Burman superstition.— $Rangeon\ Gazette$ .

COMMUNICATION WITH CENTRAL

LOMAKIN SUPEREDED. More than six months have now elapsed since in the Prefecture at Tours. Orders were issued

Colonel Vasiltchikoff arrived at St. Petersburg | than on no account was any one to be allowed to from the Caspian, conveying the despatch in intrude on the interview. The doorkeepers which General Lomakin described his disastrous thought they were fulfilling their duties when defeat; but it is only this week that the Emperor | they denied Gambetta to everybody who prehas signed the warrant removing him from the sented himself at the front door. Thier's was Army of the Caucasus. By the terms of this thus repulsed, who, having heard of Gamdecorment Major. General Louiskin is to relinquish | betta's design, was anxious to frustrate it by the governorship of the Trans-Caspian region and constituting himself a third party at the interreceived \$25 only. The complete at then laid to proceed abread on sick leave for five months. view, when he was certain that the subject would It will be remembered that a similar method of not be entered upon. Repulsed at the front, An adjourned inquest was held at the Magis. in his defence. As was shown by the whole Mr. Francis—And if it is partly justified it The case was remanded for one week, the prinot long ago in connection with Governor Fran- mately acquainted with the geography of the kini, of Kars, who, for shutting up some Arme. Prefecture corridors, he circumvented the doornian schools and imprisoning the teachers, was keepers, found his way into Cambetta's cabinet ordered to betake himself for three or four and resolutely sat out the British Ambassador. months to the baths of Germany. In this case, Changy's defeat drove Gambetta into a corner I We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions. however, Frankini, after being punished, was from from which he never extricated himself; allowed to yo back to his duties, a poorer, if and the negotiations never took formal shape, healthier man; whereas Lomakin on his return but Lord Lyons was at least made aware of the to Russia will find himself without a career, and dictator's propositions. Another project of Gam-Six .-- We must again apply to you for a little relegated to the companionship of Marko- betta's was, that in return for the United States feet from the wharf the decessed ordered the class of cases, where by statute the defendant was Mr. Francis -It will be open to my friend if space in your journal, as our last letter has not soft. Tcherneyeff, Stolieteff, and other com- disembarking a certain specified quantity of rades in disgrace and misfortune. His punish strmy provisions and munitions of war at certain His Lordship asked if it would not be a con- We are still without water, although it rains ment will be all the more embittered by French ports during a period of five months. venience if Mr. Pitman were now arraigned and from morning to night. We therefore once more the circumstance that the same guaratte that rev Guadaloupe and Martinique should be ceded to draw attention to the small supply of water ob- cords his dismissal contains a long list of de- the Republic on the other side of the Atlantic. to be turned astern. Very shortly after this we throw obstactes in the way of the defendant using Mr. Francis saked his Lordehip to fix a day taineble and we shall expect this time that notice corations conferred upon the officers who served The notes further state the conviction of the under him during the campaign last year. At writer that Lord Lyons communicated to his His Lordship I cannot. I shall not try im Thanking you for the insertion of the above. the same time, he cannot complain of the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinet the cha-We are, Sir, yours &c., CHINESE ness of the Emperor, since no uniquely general ractor of the arrangement which had thus been has had greater chances of retrieving misfortune suggested to him by M. Gambetta.—World

than he himself has had. When the battle of Isandula took place last year censure was freely cast upon our administration for retaining Lord Chelmsford in command although his The new Loung Tao, or Commissariat Com- previous career had confessedly been meritamissioner, for this city, recently appointed at rions and useful. But the few months of Peking, has started from the capital to take up | English ill luck at the Cape beer no comparison with the seven successive years of misfortune A large paynbroking catablishment in the and disgrace which have marked Lomakin's professedly military power as Russia should have

THE NEW HEBRIDES

The Rev. J. G. Patron, of the New Hebrides lission, has lately contributed to the Southern Cross some interesting information about the manners and customs of the islanders. In his remarks about the island of Santo he says: "On this side of Santo they make carthenware and cook their food in earthen puts, some of them a large size. For prints and knives we purchased a few good specimens of their crockery. It is strange that the art of making it should be retained here, when it is lost on Efate, Nuuna and all the other northern islands of our group. though it is so valuable to all in every day use ; and it is yet more astonishing that the art of making an article of such universal use and value should have been lost even on Santo except at that place, from which the natives make it an article of trade around their own island, and to The wreck of the Dutch barque Lize which the adjoining islands. The remains of broken was offered for sale by Messrs. McAlister & Co. pottery on the surface, and often at a great depth that at one time it had been manufactured and

OBJECT OF THE NIHILISTS

The following account of the aims of Nihiliam s taken by the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Cologne Gazette from a " Nibilist Camehism." which was produced at the trial of the wellknown Socialist leader Netchaveff in 1871: -We must enter into close contact with the tolden City, which savours more of the kingdom | people, and especially with those who from the time of the foundation of the Russiau Power have never ceased to protest by their acts (not by their words) against everything which has lirectly or indirectly been connected with that Power-against the publity, the officials, the clergy, and the traders. Our organisation and our whole object consists in making of the elements opposed to the State an instrument for its destruction. Russian history has only had two epochs in which the Russian people have really lived—those of the revolutionists. Stenko without hoping that the rumour in question is Rasin and Pogatcheff. Our task is the universal and pitiless destruction of what exists; it is for future generations to deal with what may arise afterwards. Our revolution must not be ike those of Western Europe, which have been satisfied with political charges without touching upon the institutions of property and so-called rivilisation. The people can only be benefited by a revolution which shall tear out by the roots every power of State and destroy all State traditions and classes in Russia. The Russian revolutionists is a man who has taken a vow the has no personal interests or feelings, not even a name. Bearing in mind his sole object—destruction—he can and must live in society; he must force his way into all branches of it-into the bureaucratic and military worlds, into the world f literature, into the secret police, and even into the Winter Palace. The revolutionist knows not relationship, friendship, love, magnanimity. or even honour; all his feelings are suppresed by the passion for revolution.

THE CESSION OF GIBRALTAR.

It may be taken for granted that there was no real foundation for Sir Hardinge Giffard's accusation that Mr. Gladstone was willing in principle to alienate from England the possession of Gibraltar. But the proverb is true that there never is smoke without fire: and that nine years ago a scheme involving this step was being excepitated in a certain quarter seems corroborated by the following extract from some notes written almost immediately after the conclusion of the Franco-German War by an observer of events, not less soute than well informed, who had accompanied the Provisional Government from Paris to Tours. It was well known that between certain members of the Provisional Government and certain members of the then exist ing British Cabinet, very intimate relations of friendship existed. The quotation is taken verbatim from the contemporary notes referred to

"What a colossal and reckless intriguer was

Gambetta! His schemes reminded one of a

frantic "heads or tails" financier of the period

before Black Friday, whose only thought was of money to carry him round the present corner, and who cared not what he paid for accommodation in the crisis; or of a "plunger" who mortgages an estate for the 5,000L he needs to make up his Derby deficits, and enable him to show his face at Tattersall's to plunge again on the St. Leger. Gambetta's only care was to keep up coûte que coûte, opposition to the Prussians. He would have alienated a province of France for a division of armed men. Here are the details of one of his schemes. He had a keep a certain number of French troops in the towns in the south of France to dominate their turbulence and discontent, and these he regarded as so much capital keep in a stocking instead of being out at interest, the nature of the interest which he desiderated being a constant front of opposition to the Prussians. Now Spain, Gambetta saw. had an available force of some 50,000troops: and it occurred to him that if be could make these available for doing the police work of the south of France, this device would release, to fight the Prussians, the French troops engaged in that kind of work. He made application to Spain to discover how the land lay. The politicians ruling Spain, not unwise in their The Moscow correspondent of the Cologne generation, and recognising the spendthrift instalments, as he knew Mr. Johnson. An Gazette says that notwithstanding the great dis- fortility of resource with which Gambetta aptances which separate the Amou and Syr Darya peared imbued, replied that the price for the March the first prisoner went to complainant districts from civilization, the number of visitors service he asked was the cossion on the part of plainant at the same time informing him that boned will before long be connected with Euro- this would have appeared at once, in mercantile first prisoner had received \$12. The second pri- pean Russia by a railway. The sandy deserts phraseology, to "close the transaction;" but soner said he knew that and he had paid the money | in those parts, too, are not so uninhabitable as is | Gambetta was a man of infinite resource of conto the lawyer. On the next day the first prisoner | commonly supposed. It is true that the deserts | trivence. The French fleet had proved its usereceived another \$10. from the complainant and lof Khala-Ata between Khiva and Bokhara, on the lessness, it was a mere incumbrance. The Sues on the 23rd March the second prisoner received right bank of the Amou, that of Kizil Kum, where | Canal was an eligible marketable commedity, for \$25 more, similar statements being made on each | the Russians had to padergo such hardships at the | which England was presumably an eager ouscoossion to those previously made. The come time of the Khivan campaign, and that on the tomer. He devised this offer to England to plainant heard on the 26th April that the Tai post-road from Orsk to Tashkend, on the shores tempt her into the cession of Gibraltar to Spain. Cheong hong was going to proceed against him of the Sea of Aral, are terrribly desolate; but England was to have half the French fleet. To herfor \$2.000, and the second prisoner told him that | travellers who have penetrated into the interior | was to be given up all the French interest in the if it went into court. Both the prisoners had hims, or barchans, and that there is abundance the indemnification of the French shareholders. second prisoner, when he heard the case was com- few feet, while in the Kisil-Kum the wells are herto-closed station. And these temptations himself afterwards, on the ground that he had declined to be present at a similar entertainment

at which Jules Favre was to be present. How-

ever, his lordship afterwards called on Gambetta

THE SORROWS OF MECCA.
rational programme in the contract of the cont
It would appear that the recently appointed
Shereef of Mecos, will, find the government of
the "mother of towns," as Mussulmans some-
what pomponely style the Holy City, anything
but a sinecure. He is being escorted by a little
army to his diminutive populous in order to pro- tect him from the expected divisions of the
Faithful, and, on his arrival, he will be con-
fronted with a difficulty that has puzzled more
practical heads then his Mesos, which is
situated in a long sandy valley, and has always
been badly enough supplied with water is is in
some danger now of being daprived of it altone.
ther. It is true that Zem-Zem, one of the sights
and shows of Mecca, the alleged fountain that
hubbled forth to slake the thirst of Hagar and
Ishmael when they were driven into the wilder-
ness, flows as it ever flowed, and is by all ac-
counts, inexhaustible; but its water, although as
efficacions as the springs of La Salette and
Lourdes in curing any dispases and disorders
with which the pilgrim who drinks in faith may be troubled, is hardly suitable for
every day consumption. Containing, as it does,
according to Burckhardt, considerable medicinal
power, its taste is naturally very decided and i
Deculiar: and it has been described by the stands.
have tried it as closely resembling a compound
or Though soils and therrogate water. Nor wore i
It unaccompanied by a distinct drawhack of this
nature, would it supply all the wants of the in-
habitants, for the faithful are strictly probibited
from having recourse to the sacred wells for
other purposes than drinking or ablution. They may not use it for culinary purposes; and the
wants of ordinary life in Meson have hitherto
been supplied by the famous canal called Ain Al.
Zobeida, which carries water all the way from
Arafat. This canal was one of the beneficent
Works of that most beneficent of all sultanes
Zocolds, the wife of Haroun Al-Raschid, where
acquaintance we have all made in the "A rabian !
"" It has frequently fallen into doors !
daving taxed the care of various Khalife to me
store it; and has now, from want of funde to!
"Bep 10 in Order, become so exceedingly dilant i
dated that the supply of water has all but censed.

SUGGESTION OF A SHIP RAILWAY Captain Eads, the projector and executor of the work of the Mississippi jetties, read a paper before the Congressional Committee at Washington a short time since in advocacy of his plan of ship railway. He claimed that a substantial and durable ship railway can be built for half the cost of a canal with looks, and for one-fourth that of a capal at tide-level; that such a ship railway can be built in one third or one fourth of the time needed for the construction of a canal; that, when built, ships of the maximum tonnage SURANCES at Current Rates. can be moved with safety at four or five times greater speed than in a canal; that a greater number of vessels per day can be transported by the railway than can possibly be transported by the canal: that the capacity of a ship railway can be easily increased to meet the demands of commerce; that the cast of maintenance of the roadway and rolling stock would be much less than that of the canal, and that: railway can be constructed and operated in localities where it is not practicable to construct a canal. He explained his plan by means of drawings, which showed a pit 3,000ft. long, it which the railway should be made into the CCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE harbour to a depth of 36ft, ascending to dry land at a grade of one foot in 100; then showing the cradle into which the ship is to be lifted, and explaining how the ship is to be kept in place in the cradle by means of blocks oft. or 10ft. apart: then showing the railway, consisting of 12 rails of the ordinary width; the wheels under the cradle to be at Sft. distance from each other, and to bear a pressure of five tour (the average pressure on the driving wheels of freight locomotives being 61 tons while at rest). This five tons of pressure on the driving wheels is to be the maximum pressure. Ordinarily it would extent of 45,000 Dollars on Buildings or on not be more than three or four tons, but the Goods stored therein, at Current Local Rates, wheels could be made to stand a pressure of 30 tons. The possibility of derailment, he said, was reduced by the number of rails and by the great weight of the ship itself, so that it would be impossible to get a ship off the rails. He went on to say that an increase of traffic could be easily provided for by the laying of additional tracks, and that the great number of wheels and rails would so equalise escillation that at a speed of 12 miles an hour there would be scarcely a sign of motion on a glace of water on a upon Insurances effected with this Company. table in the ship's cahin. He was asked by Mr. Conger as to the safety on such a railway of a large vessel of middle age and whether the ship would not be liable to a strain. The reply was that any vessel that was built and was fit to be passed by underwriters, and was thought capable of withstanding the gales and

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as a child in its mother's arms. He said

generally studied the most difficult things; still

the plans of a railway and of a canal were totally

different things, and he (M. de Lesseps) did not

want to discuss the plan of a railway because it

was not his own plan at all. It had never been

TUESDAY, 18th May. The market for Bengal has kept extremely quiet for the past few days, though the drug i obtainable at lower rates than those last quot ed. Of Malwa sales at 3720, free of allowance.

## EXCHANGE. ON LONDON.-Bank Bills, on demand. Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight. 3/101 Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight 3/104 Credits, at 4 months sight .... 3/107 Decumentary Bills, at 4 months'

On Bombay.—Bank, on demand ... 2281 ON CALCUTTA. -Bank, on demand 228 On Shandhal. Bank, sight ......723 Private. 30 days' sight......731 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-57 per

Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$1,400 per share, er dividend. China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares - Policies issued for long or short periods at North China Insurance—Tls. 1,075 per share. Yangtere Insurance Association-Tls. 720 per.

Chinese Insurance Company 32974 per share. On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tle. 138 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$840 per share. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares \$230 per share.

Shares—5 per cent. premium. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares-323 per share premium. Shanghai Steam Navigation Company-Tla. 5 per share.

China Coast Steam Navigation Company.—Tis. 100 per share. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—380 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-566 per

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited \$153 per share. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1874-Nominal. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1877-Nominal.

SALES REPORTED BY CHINESE. White Wax -2 pieces at 874.00, by Min Kee to travelling trader. Sugar Candy-30 bags, at \$9.18, by Kwong Foong to travelling trader. Dried Lily Flowers-15 bags, at \$3,30. by Kwong Foong to travelling trader. Mushrooms-2 packages, at \$5.40, by Chun Chong to local trader.

Red Dates-10 bags, at Tis. 5.1.0.0, by Wing Underweiting Business are annually dis-Lee Ching to travelling trader. . Chefog Vermicelli-82 bage, at \$7.10, by proportion to the premia paid by them. Kwong Sing Tai to travelling trader. Yellow Pens-1,500 piculs, at \$2.06, by Kweng Wo Cheung to travelling trader, Hongkong, 11th May, 1880

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THE Undersigned, Agents for the above L Company, are prepared to GRANT IN MELCHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

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Hongkong, 1st March, 1878. THE DUSSELDORF UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY; LIMITED: The Undersigned, having been appointed

tried, though it has been proposed. It had even been proposed to him by Marshal Vaillant, when he was War Minister under Napoleon III., for AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared the Isthmus of Suez. If a ship railway was to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS practicable, of course it could be built anywhere. to all parts of the World. SIEMSSEN & Co. Agents. Hongkong, 14th August, 1878.

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DECORD of AMERICAN and FOREIGN SHIPPING. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 4th September, 1879. THE LONDON ASSURANCE INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER OF HIB MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST.

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MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY TROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upon the Current Local Rates of Premia will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Company.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

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Hongkong, 6th February, 1879. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. -- HEAD OFFICE—HONGRONG.

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AND ALL INDIAN PORTS. N MONDAY, the '24th' day of May, row, the 20th instant, at 11.30 A.M. 1880, at Noon, the Company's Steamship PEI-HO." Commandant PARQUALINI, with instant, at 5 P.M. MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CAR-GO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marsoilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon, and Cargo will be received on board until 4 P. M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 23rd of May, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are will be despatched on MONDAY, the 24th For further particulars, apply at the Com-

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THE Steamship "BELGIC" will be des natched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama. on MONDAY, the 24th May, 1880, at 3 P.M. taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europe, Connection is made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai Freight will be received on board until 4 Pint on the 23rd May. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day. [814 All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full: value of same is required. A REDUCTION is made on RETURN

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A MATL WITH CLOSE For Foothow .- Per Killarney, to-day, the 19th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow, -- Per Kwangtung, to-day, the 19th inst., at 5 P.M. For Haiphong, Pakhai, and Hoihow, To-day, the 19th instant, at 5 P.M. For Shanghal .- Per Celtic Monarch, to-mor-For Saigon .- Per Tunis, to-morrow, the 20th

His Excellency the Governor is pleased to order, under Section XII, of the Post Office Ordinance, 1876, that the Late Fee charged on Correspondence posted after certain hours for Europe, America. the Australian Colonies, Shanghai, &c., shall be 10 Cents, instead of 18

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet "PEI-HO!" instant, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, via Naples ; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL-DAY OF DEPARTURE. 1 P.M., Money Order Office closes. 3 P.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 4 P.M., Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 4.10 P.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 4.30 P.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 4.40 P.M. Late Letters may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of departure.

THE PRENCH MAIL. Saturday--E.K., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours. MONDAY-

A.M., Post Office opens O A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee 1.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 18 Cents until time of departure.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES The United States' Mail Packet "BELGIC" will be despatched on MONDAY, the 24th instant, with Mails for Japan. San Francisco, the United States. Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:-2.15 P.M. Registry ceases. 2.30 r.m. Post Office closes, but Letters (except

for Non-Union Countries) may be posted on

board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents

Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies

extra Postage until the time of departure.

except the Bahamas and Hayti), Monte Video, Paraguay, and Uruguay, cannot be sent by this REGULATIONS AS TO SOLDIERS AND SAILORS 1.—Privates in H.M. Army or Navy, Noncommissioned Officers,\* Army Schoolmasters (not Superintending or First Class) or Schoolmistresses may send half-ounce letters to the United Kingdom via Brindisi or via Marseilles

at the rate of four cents (two pence) each, which may be prepaid either in Imperial or in Hongkong Stamps. 2.—The same 'privileges apply to letters addressed to the Privates and Non-commissioned Officers named above. 3.—All such letters prepaid at the former rate of two cents (one penny) will be forwarded to or from the United Kingdom by private steamer

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the cover of which must be signed by the Commanding Officer, with name of regiment, ship, &c., in full. 7.-If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class and description, with name of regiment, ship, &c., must be stated in full. 8.—Soldiers and Sailors have no privileges with regard to books or papers, nor can these be prepaid with Imperial Stams.

\* But not Warrant Officers, viz. - Assistant Eqgineer, Gunner, Boatswain, or Carpenter. To provide means of remitting small sums f money to or from this Colony and between the Ports of China, the Postmasters and Agents of this Office are allowed (but not required) to purchase Hongkong Postage Stamps from for reign residents.

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LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING When it is desired to forward letters to the United States by a sailing ship which is not notified as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to post the letters in the ordinary way, marked STRATHEARN, British bark, Anderson.—Rozario with the name of the ship, and prepaid 8 conts per half ounce as usual. This Office then undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of departure and despatching the correspondence. It is re-

quested that the letters be posted if possible at

least one day before the date fixed for salling. Many boxes of letters are received at the Post fastened with sealing war, but there is no impression of a scal. The attention of boxholders is called to the necessity of carefully sealing such boxes with some recognisable seal, and of sending a chitbook or receipt with them. The omission of the latter precaution leaves a doubt as to whether the contents of the box ever reached the Post Office; the omission of the former, as to whether part of them might not have been abstracted for the sake of the Postage Stamps.

STAMP OFFICE. The above Office being now provided with a Scent die, Books of Receipts, Rent Collectors' versity), receives a limited number of Young Books, &c., can be stamped beforehand in the same manner as Cheque Books. Loose receipt forms can also be stamped if required.

INDEMNITY FOR THE LOSS OF A REGISTERED The Post Office is not legally responsible for TERMS. 60 GUINEAS PER ANNUM, exclusive | the safe delivery of Registered Correspondence. but henceforth it will be propored to make good days. Reference kindly permitted to B. C. the contents of such correspondence lost while passing through the Post, to the extent of \$10. in certain cases, provided :-1.—That the sender duly observed all the con-

ditions of Registration required. 2.-That the letter was securely enclosed in a easonably atrong envelope. 3.—That application was made to the Postmaster General of Hongkong immediately the loss was discovered, the envelope being invariably ment to COMMERCIAL and GENERAL JOB forwarded with such application unless it also is

4.—That the Postmaster General is satisfied that the loss occurred whilst the correspondence was in the custody of the British Postal administration in China, that it was not caused by any fault on the part of the sender, by destruction by fire, or shipwreck, nor by the dishonesty or negligence of any person not in the employment of the Hongkong Post Office. 5.—No compensation can be paid for mere damage to fragile articles such as portraits, watches, handsomely bound books, to. which reach their destination, although in a broken or

EXTRACTS. THE FOUNTAIN IN THE DESERT. In a desert wide and lonely, Lovely flowers bloomed unseen. Where, in all the waste around them, Never mortal step had been Yet the flowers every morning Moistoned were with early dow, And the some birds in the twilight To their sheltering branches flow. From afar there came a pilgrim, Passing through the desert wild, And he rested, faint and weary, Where the rosy blossoms smiled; While the happy birds above him Warbled in the evening hours, As the pilgrim slumbored dreaming Of a fount boside the flowers. When the pilgrim wake at morning Underneath the blazing sky, Parched with thirst, he scanned the desert,

Hoping only but to die. But remembrance of his dreaming Came his lonely heart to cheer, . And he found beside the flowers A fountain sparkling frosh and clear. Then, courageous and undaunted, Rose the pilgrim from the sand, And pursued his weary journey

Till he reached his native land. Thus may all earth's pilgrims gather Flowers of hope and love and praise, And from fresh and spackling fountains Drink in life's untrodden ways. —Tinsley's Magazine

A PAIR OF TROUSERS. A short time, back a contributor to a contemporary had a vision of a pair of trousers bought in the Temple, Paris, five-and-twenty years ago. "It was in the early days of the ourselves. It chanced that one of our number was favoured, some time during the winter season of 1854, with an invitation to a grand ball to be given at the Hôtel de Ville. Evening dress was de riqueur. A possessed, but the requisite black pantaloons of fashionable society were lacking. What was to be done? We had all of us the subscription among ourselves, and our friend was enabled to trudge to the Marché du Temple, where, for the sum of twelve francs, he purchased a pair of the blackest and shiniest black trousers that I ever behold. He went to the ball at the Hotel de Ville. He danced, he supped, a little too copiously, perproduced his handkerchief to remove the ungrew larger, and it grew at last a brilliant red. In the midst of an ocean of shiny black there was disclosed to his alarmed eyes an island of the pattern and hue of the Royal Stuart tartan. He was wearing a pair of

plaid trousers that had been dyed black. A MUSICAL DUEL. ancient code of honour. The scene of this whose will is supreme. it was forbidden to either party to per- | band. form any piece of dance music, but the

bibit signs of mental alienation." THE LATE PRINCE CONSORT'S

VIEWS ON DEATH. difference or distaste for life. He enjoyed by our ingratitude." it, and was happy and cheerful in his work, in his family circle, in loving thoughtfulness | pular. He has a kind word and alms for any for others, and in the sweet returns of af- one who wants them, when there is a floor or fection which this brought back to himself. a fire of more than ordinary destructiveness. But he had none of the strong yearning for | He puts his grudges against the Liberal party which prompted those blessed feelings about turally provides so many means of manipula- but the battle won; the gallant victor dropped eternity. He was ready to live, ready to ting official accounts that his Majesty's con- into a state of coma, to revive a little while die, not because I wish to be happier, as he trol over the public purse is practically after, withher eventually to succumb to the often remarked, but because he was quite absolute. In truth he has no fancy for that poison or no we cannot say; let us hope the A. Reimera. ready to go. He did not do what was right | wasteful sort of prodigality which is called | concluding words of the chronicler of this | Bullion for the sake of a reward hereafter, but, as magnificence. Privately, therefore, he is singular battle, "It is thought it will re- Charlwood he always said, because it was right. - thought to be rich, and Emperors have been cover, were justified by the event -- All the Ches. Dennis Theodore Martin's Life of the Prince Contort. so often sent upon their travels, that perhaps Year Round,

ANECDOTAL PHOTOGRAPHS.

THE EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA. The youth of Kaiser Francis-Joseph gave his personal wants are few. He used to be little promise that he would turn out one of very fond of play-going, but he was never the ablest and most astute Sovereigns of the mixed up much with actors or actresses. He house of Hapsburg-Lorraine. Ho became has many of the finest saddle horses in Emperor when he was just eighteen years old, Europe; but he has never gone on the Turf and was then probably the best horseman, like Napoleon III, who rode badly, and the best waltzer, and the best shot in his George IV., who could hardly ride at all. His dominions. He had a remarkably elegant household is carefully, and even parsimonifigure, and looked well in his general's uni- ously, managed. He will never want money, form of silver grey and scarlet. He was a and so there is not much chance of his having handsome, winning lad. His eyes were parti- noisy altereations with his subjects. Indeed, cularly expressive and vivacious; the family should any serious European trouble come lip was not unpleasantly developed. His about, it is not unlikely that he may survive voice was agreeable, his manners undeniably the Austro-Hungarian Constitution. - Truth, good. In fact he had been carefully trained by his mother, the Archduchess Sophia, a tall, vigorous-minded hady, with many of the qualities of an honest man. His tutor also, several battles between ants, and, in some the Count de Bombelles, was a very respect- instances, the ourious conduct of the captors able man, who had taken care that he should towards their prisoners, which think is worth be taught all the idioms of the Empire, so mentioning. The most noted battle took that, in the matter of personal accomplish- place July, 1878, between two colonies of red ments and physical development, he was all ants. The victorious army were medium in that could be desired. In other respects he size and numbered many thousands; those some habit of stalking about the streets on numerous. The large ants, after a desperate the watch for officers who had something the resistance, were forced out of their fort, four matter with their uniform, and old beroes, or five small auts holding on the antenue yet got a moustache. They had to remember except one, who would stand facing his

was prone to be disloval. as much bother to his civil government as to up their sweets without so much pulling. I band of young English and American bro- his army. Even Prince Felix Schwartzen- think this battle was for no other purpose than thers domiciled in Paris, very fond of talking burg, his Prime Minister, who had put him to secure the sweet supposed to be in the about the pictures which we meant to paint on the throne, and held him there, found him stomache of the captives. These ants were and the novels and plays which we meant intractable as soon as he could sit alone. kept prisoners just one week, when they were to write, and much fonder of amusing Indeed, he tormented Schwartzenburg into a literated, marched off in a body and never nervous fever, and one day vexed him so returned. They were probably kept confined cruelly in Council that he died in a fit of until their sweets were exhausted, and then auger and mortification an hour afterwards. | allowed to go free. - A. MILLER, in the Ame-He had got a military craze, and thought of rican Naturalist. nothing but big drums and courts-martial. claw hammer coat' and dress waistcoat he He resolved not only to be his own Minister of War, but his own Commander-in-Chief. and actually marched against the French in 1859 as generalissimo of his troops. The our identity rests on memory. But if the battle of Solferino followed, in which he got latter as is erring as we have seen, the thinnest pair of sable trousers available a scare, and then the peace of Villa Franca, forms can hardly be as absolutely ceramongst us. So we made a friendly little which took much of the nonsense out of him. tain and incorruptible as some thinkers In the spring of 1860 his crowns seemed would make out. It point of fact, this hardly worth three months purchase, but a sense of identity is liable to take strange notable change had passed over the cantan- forms, and to play us odd pranks. In kerous young fellow of a few years before, dreams we often distinctly lose all hold on

smooth water. He checkmated the Hungarian which our respectable Ego is playing a sort Patriots while they were putting on their war of game of "bo-peep" with us. And what him on one of his visits to the buffet gently re- paint, and blew away the tobacco clouds of happens in dreams may happen in waking minded him that he had suffered some warm | the German Socialists before they could get | life. Every act of intense sympathy is for punch to trickle over one of the knees of his into his subjects heads. He granted to the time a confusion of our sense of identity. black dress pantaloons. Promptly our friend fiery Magyar his ancient liberties; he gave to Waking imagination, too, leads to a fictitious bed, but the spot did not disappear. It they could desire; and he has been ever since he is wont for the nonce to project himself Lowever, and Count Beust have given him no the limits of our personal experience. To

difference between the Kaiser and the Czaris experience; but to imagine that we have The art of duelling, says a writer in the that the Czar is nominally an autocrat, and actually seen what we have simply heard Globe, seems capable of being extended to really powerless; whereas the Kaiser is from another's lips, is clearly to confess fields unthought of in the philosophy of the nominally a Sovereign of limited powers the boundaries of our identity. Thus, through latest hostile meeting was no remote glade As a young man he was fond of pleasure, sham self gets mixed up with our real self. or dell, but a liouse in the town of Valpa- and for even galloping after it with a loose so that we cannot, strictly speaking, be sure raiso; and the antagonists were no military rein. Now his tastes are very simple, and his that when we project ourselves into a remote fire-enters or journalistic rivals, but two pro- hibits as domestic as circumstances will perfessors of music. The weapons chosen were, mit. So domestic, indeed, are they that a true personality.—Combill.

moreover, not such as are usually included Russian Prince of the Imperial family who in the arsenal of the duellist, but were in. visited him soon after the birth of the Archstruments with which the performers are duke Rudolph found his Majesty in the more at home than they would probably be nursery, actively engaged in washing his Im- investigation of every habitable and un with sword or pistol. The challenge was no perial, Royal, and Apostolic Highness the habitable portion of the Winter Palace having other than a proposal to play a match at the Crown Prince of his nine kingdoms and one at length been completed, and the police piano-a species of contest which, though not | Empire. The Empress had no taste for such | authorities having satisfied themselves tha so sanguinary in appearance as a fight of the functions, even as a spectator. He has an no danger of another attempt upon the Czar's

the Imparcial declares that all of them "oxral, pacified Hungary for him, some person, It was characteristic of the Prince Consort | who had no knowledge of the hearts of kings, remarked that it was an inestimable service.

Of late\_years the Kaiser has become po- sleep in his own house. precincts of the genial day," into a strange is even with them in his own way, and provided for its meal after six months. trace of sadness; he was content to stay, if ports and memorials. He keeps a sharp eye agonised wriggle of the long speckled body, such were Heaven's will; he was equally on all the departments of State, and he sees and the squirrel was in the serpent's toils,

he may hold some foreign investments; but he has never been accused of rapacity, and

ANT BATTLES. I have within the past few years witnessed

was a vexatious boy. He got into a trouble- captured were a much larger ant, but not so who were under the impression that they had and legs of the prisener. The captives were saved the Monarchy, were abashed at being usually taken a few inches from the fort and put under arrest by a stripling, who had not liberated. All the ants returned to the fight that he had really showed pluck and spirit at captive for a few moments, then taking hold Raab and Comorn to enable them to gulp of the antenne of the prisoner give three or down their indignation when he played at four pulls; after waiting a short time the pulsoldiering in this fashion. And he was all ling was repeated with more determination; ways at it, so that apoplectic field-officers were the big ant not responding, he was savagely obliged to fasten every one of the buttons of jerked, then he would lean forward, and their tunics immediately after dining at the drop a sweet issuing from his mouth, the Stadt Frankfurt, where they mostly congre- little ant would approach and drink the gated, and their language in warm weather nectar, then pick up his captive and hurry home. This was repeated many times dur-He was a cross-grained boy, too, and gave ing the battle. Some of the prisoners gave

> MENTAL ELASTICITY AND PER-SONAL IDENTITY. It is commonly said by philosophers that

and he steered through adverse currents, ourselves, and take up the curious position hidden rocks, and perils without number into of spectators at a transformation scene, in

able editors and fussy citizens a full and com- expansion of ourselves. Thus the novelist plete Constitution, warranted to be all that tolls us that while he is writing his stories the unquestioned personal ruler of his Em- into the figures, identifying himself with pire. He had to count with such men as them. And our study of the phosphenes Buol and Rechberg, as he had had to count of memory has told us that all of us are with Felix Schwartzenburg. Count Andrassy, liable to extend this idea of self beyond trouble, nor has Prince Auersberg. They mistake dream fancy for waking fact is not have been one and all convenient instruments | perhaps to lose the sense of identity, since our of the Court policy, and nothing more. The dreams are after all, a part of our personal the corruption of our memories, a sort o past we are not really running away from ou

MISERIES OF AN IMPERIAL LIFE The Daily Telegraph says :- A thoroug ordinary kind, turned out to be in reality extraordinary number of titles. He is King life within the walls of his town residence is Strathearn more fatal and deplorable. At the appointed of Hungary, of Bohemia, of Dalmatia, of at present to be apprehended, his Majesty Twilight hour the two professors were seated at their Croatia, of Esclavonia, of Galicia, of Lodo- now resides in the Palace again, sleeping, W. S. Shing respective pianes, and commenced a perform meria, of Illyria, and of Jerusalem. He is however, in a different apartment every ance which lasted without intermission for also Duke of Lorraine, as well as of a multi- night. According to the St. Petersburg corre-48 hours before the defeated party gave in. tude of other duchies; and it is therefore spondent of the Cologne Gazette, to whose in When he did so, and was taken up off the strange that we should has been recently teresting and trustworthy reports from keyboard on which he had fallen face told, on so high an authority as that of Prince the Russian capital we have frequently downwards, he was found to be quite dead, Bismarck himself, that the Emperor Wilhelm had occasion to refer, the life actually while his rival was carried from the room offered to confer upon him a title which be- led by the Russian Emperor in his magto the hospital, where he is not expected longs, beyond all question, to his brother of nificent abode is pitiably dismal. No to recover. By the terms of the combat Austria, as heir of Marie Therèse and her hus-nourishment, either solid or liquid, that has not been tasted in his presence by some No monarch has eaten so much humble pie official personage ever passes his lips. His repetition of the same piece over and as the clever middle-aged gentleman who now bath is examined every morning by the meover again was not prohibited. Consequently sits on the throne of the Hapsburgs. He was dical officers of his household before he venthe unsuccessful player had executed the beaten by the French, and had to be civil on tures to use it, and seldom approaches a "Miserère" from the opera of "Il Trovatore" more than one occasion afterwards to Napo- stove or fireplace, lest some explosive mate-150 times, and was about to recommence it leon III., although he felt a personal dislike rial concealed among the fuel, should have

once more when he expired in the manner to him. He was heaten by the Russians, for been secretly introduced into it. Before above described. Perhaps, however, the whom he cherished an hereditary antipathy he retires to rest, his bed-room and dressingmost curious feature in the encounter was and contempt, yet he has embraced his room, as well as the apartments contiguous Christian the effect produced upon the seconds by the Imperial brother Wilhelm, of Hohenzollern, to them on the upper and lower floors, are Minns 48 hours' spell of competitive music. There several times without any visible signs of re-submitted to a rigorous inspection. His were four of these auxiliaries present, and pugnance. He has had to do violence to his Majesty appears extremely nervous, takes no feeling over and over again, with regard to interest in State business, and exhibits the Czar. It is said that he even foresaw the total indifference even to the military details necessity which he should be under of so doing | which have hitherto constituted his favourite | long age. When Luders, the Russian gene- occupation. Such, as we are, assured, is Friedrich the existence of the all-powerful Czar at the Healt present time. The poorest of his subjects H. Bremer need not envy an autocrat who, though sur- Lulu with an equanimity by no means common in "Yes," replied Francis Joseph, drily, "and rounded by splendour and luxury of every men of his years. This was owing to no in- you will see that we shall astonish the world description, is the prey of a settled melan- N.N. choly and scarcely dares to eat, drink, or

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FIGHT BETWEEN A SQUIRREL AND A RATTLESNAKE. A rattlesnake, on exhibition in Cincinnati. life and fulness of years which is felt by those into his pocket, and does not set his familicame off, second best in a combat with a who shrink from looking beyond "the warm liars to rant at them in society. Perhaps he seemingly insignificant for a small squirrel, and uncertain future. He had no wish to radicals are not half so much in fashion at abstinence. Immediately the squirrel was die, but he did not care for living. Not long Vienna as at Berlin. It is said he has the put in the cage the snake sprang its rattle, before his fatal illness, in speaking to the Royal fault of vindictiveness, and that he and prepared to strike. A quick glance Queen, he said: "I do not cling to life. never forgives, but if so he keeps his own around showing the intended victim there You do; but I set no store by it. If I knew counsel with praise-worthy discretion and was no opening for an escape, he gallantly that those I love were well cared for, I should strikes silently. He enjoys the exercise of faced the fee. Suddenly a sickly gleam of be quite ready to die to-morrow." In the his Imperial functions, and has no other livid white shot across the cage and struck same conversation, he added: "Lam sure, amusement or occuption than those which the little creature below the neck. Springing if I had a severe illness, I should give up at belong to his office. He is neither a glutton forward he caught the rattlesnake's tail be- M. Lebanon once; I should not struggle for life. I have nor a toper, nor given to licentiousness. He tween his teeth; there was a sound like the Oscar Vidal no tenacity of life. This was said without a is up by times in the morning, coming re- crushing of chicken bones, a hideous hiss, an ready to go hence, should that will be other- especially into appointments and promotions. while the fragments of its bony rattles fell wise. Death in his view was but the portal Several of the Ministers, particularly those on the floor in tiny slivers. The manyto a further life, in which he might hope for who had high notions of the new Constitution coloured folds tightened round the brave a continuance, under happier conditions, of have been amazed to find the Kaiser-so well little fellow, the snake's wide-open jaws Chingtah all that was best in himself and in those he posted up in the essential part of their busi- threatened him closely, there was another H.H.M.Gilvery loved, unclogged by the weaknesses, and un- ness, and to perceive that he had the keenest flash of white; but the squirrel, never quail- Sea Nymph saddened by the failures, the misunderstand- possible preception of the interests of his ing, did not let the fangs reach him this ings, the sinfulness, and the sorrows of Crown and dynasty. He has not done so time. Catching the rattlesnake just below earthly existence. "This spirit," the Queen badly with his opportunities since Sadowa, the head, he set his teeth together with a writes in a memorandum in 1862, "this which of course disturbed many calculations. will, and held on until the reptile's eyes beautiful, cheerful spirit it was, which made Twenty years ago people were prepared for a started out. Then came a crackling sound, him always happy, always contented, though national bankruptcy in Austria; the paper an opening of the fanged mouth, some horhe felt so deeply and so acutely when others | florin was at a discount worse than that of rible convulsive movements; and shaking the Forward did wrong, and when people did not do their the paper rouble nowadays. At present things | coils from about, him, the squirrel flung his duty; it was this power he had of taking in- look much more cheerful. This is the more fee from him dead. Then, and not till then, terest in everything, attending to everything, creditable also because the Constitution na- | did he show any sign of having been harmed,

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